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State

Alfalfa Hay, 2004

Acres Harvested	5,400	57
Yield - Tons/Acre	6.6	4
Prod. - Tons	35,600	31
Farm Value	\$2,949,500	25

All Other Hay, 2004

Acres Harvested	4,600	90
Yield - Tons/Acre	2.1	22
Prod. - Tons	9,700	88
Farm Value	\$606,900	84

All Hay, 2004

Acres Harvested	10,000	92
Yield - Tons/Acre	4.5	10
Prod. - Tons	45,300	76
Farm Value	\$3,556,400	58
Pasture Acreage-2002 Census Of Ag	276,000	13

Cattle Inventory, Jan. 1, 2005 4/

All Cattle	57,400	43
Cows That Have Calved	14,300	60
Beef	3/	
Milk	3/	
Other Cattle	43,100	38
Cattle On Feed	18,500	30
Calves Born In 2004	13,000	60

Cattle Inventory Value 4/

Cattle & Calves, Jan. 1, 2005	\$47,642,000	41
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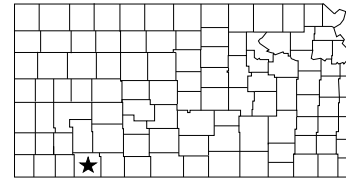
Production 1/

Milk, 2004 (1,000 LBS.)	3/
Farm Value	3/

- 1/ Due to the state budget difficulties hogs, sheep, and poultry value of production are not available at the county level.
- 2/ Data not published for all practices because of insufficient reports or relative unimportance of some practices.
- 3/ Data not published to avoid disclosure of individual reports.
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FARM FACTS 2004-2005

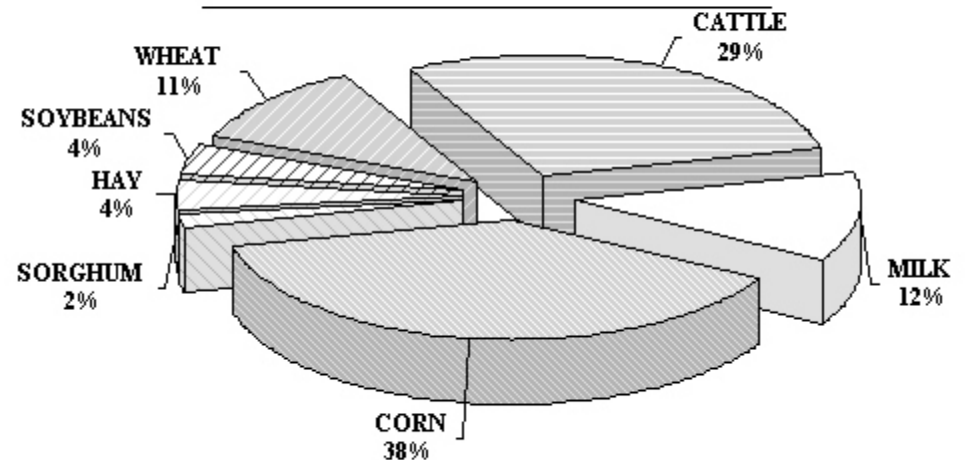


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VALUE OF PRODUCTION 1/ MEADE COUNTY



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Census Population, 2003	4,662	72
No. Of Farms, 2004	450	71
Land in Farms, 2004 (Acres)	610,000	13
Acres Harvested, 2004	193,700	47
Farm Value of Crops Harv., 2004	\$49,291,600	22
Value of Cattle & Milk Prod., 2004	\$34,651,400	23
Precipitation Jan.-Dec., 2004 (In.)	29.02	48
Precipitation 30 Year Average (In.)	21.26	87

Wheat, 2004

Acres Seeded in 2003	93,500	58
Acres Harvested in 2004	87,700	47
Yield - Bu./Acre	33	71
Prod - Bu.	2,851,000	43
Farm Value	\$9,105,000	43
Irrigated Acres Harv.	19,700	10
Yield - Bu./Acre	38	30
Prod. - Bu.	748,300	13
Cont. Crop Dryland Acres Harv.	19,000	59
Yield - Bu./Acre	24	74
Prod. - Bu.	465,200	66
Summer Fallow Acres Harv.	49,000	24
Yield - Bu./Acre	33	33
Prod. - Bu.	1,637,500	18

Corn, 2004

Acres Planted	70,600	11
Acres Harv. For Grain	68,700	9
Yield - Bu./Acre	192	11
Prod. - Bu.	13,163,000	5
Farm Value	\$31,179,400	5
Irrigated Acres Harv.	2/	
Yield - Bu./Acre	2/	
Prod. - Bu.	2/	
Non-Irrigated Acres Harv.	2/	
Yield - Bu./Acre	2/	
Prod. - Bu.	2/	
Acres Harv. For Silage	1,900	23
Yield - Tons/Acre	20.0	13
Prod. - Tons	38,000	18
Farm Value	\$643,400	16

Sorghum, 2004

Acres Planted	14,700	68
Acres Harv. For Grain	12,600	67
Yield - Bu./Acre	69	66
Prod. - Bu.	871,400	65
Farm Value	\$1,492,400	65
Irrigated Acres Harv.	2/	
Yield - Bu./Acre	2/	
Prod. - Bu.	2/	
Non-Irrigated Acres Harv.	2/	
Yield - Bu./Acre	2/	
Prod. - Bu.	2/	
Acres Harv. For Silage	2/	
Yield - Tons/Acre	2/	
Prod. - Tons	2/	
Farm Value	2/	

Sunflowers, 2004

Acres Planted	2/	
Acres Harvested	2/	
Yield - LB./Acre	2/	
Prod. - LB.	2/	
Farm Value	2/	

Soybeans, 2004

Acres Planted	11,100	71
Acres Harvested	11,000	69
Yield - Bu./Acre	60	1
Prod. - Bu.	661,000	60
Farm Value	\$3,030,000	62
Irrigated Acres Harv.	2/	
Yield - Bu./Acre	2/	
Prod. - Bu.	2/	
Non-Irrigated Acres Harv.	2/	
Yield - Bu./Acre	2/	
Prod. - Bu.	2/	

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